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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of **August 2, 2006**, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 11 of this paper

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including the Abstract is attached following page 14 of this paper.